

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
MIDLAND/ODESSA DIVISION**

BELINDA MALDONADO,
Plaintiff,

v.

**CITY OF MIDLAND, TEXAS, and
JOHN DOE NOS. 1-3,**
Defendants.

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NO. MO:23-CV-00037

ORDER

Before the Court is Parties' Joint Stipulation of Dismissal with Prejudice (Doc. 22) filed February 19, 2024. The parties agree and stipulate that Plaintiff's claims against Defendants should be dismissed with prejudice. Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41(a)(1)(A)(ii) allows a plaintiff to dismiss an action upon filing a stipulation of dismissal signed by all parties who have appeared. Plaintiff has done so. "Stipulated dismissals under Rule 41(a)(1)(A)(ii) . . . require no judicial action or approval and are effective automatically upon filing." *Yesh Music v. Lakewood Church*, 727 F.3d 356, 362 (5th Cir. 2013). The request to dismiss all claims against Defendants, **WITH PREJUDICE**, is hereby **GRANTED**.

The Court therefore **ORDERS** that the Clerk of Court **CLOSE** this action. Each party shall bear and pay their respective attorney fees and costs herein. All pending motions, if any, are **DENIED AS MOOT**.

It is so **ORDERED**.

SIGNED this 20th day of February, 2024.

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DAVID COUNTS
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE